## DELOATCH & HINTON, PLLC

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

210 EAST SAINT JAMES STREET POST OFFICE DRAWER 308

TARBORO, NORTH CAROLINA 27886-0308

MAHLON W. D∉LOATCH, JR. (OF COUNSEL)
J. CHAD HINTON

TELEPHONE (252) 823-8108 FACSIMILE (252) 823-7390

October 28, 2019

## **VIA EMAIL ONLY**

Ms. Susan L. Sitze, susan.sitze@ncleg.net

Rep. James L. Boles, Jr., jamie.boles@ncleg.net

Rep. Ted Davis, Jr., ted.davis@ncleg.net

Rep. Sarah Stevens, sarah.stevens@ncleg.net

Sen. Andy Wells, andy.wells@ncleg.net

Re: Town of Tarboro – Reporting ordinances with criminal enforcement

Dear Joint Legislative Administrative Procedure Oversight Committee:

Attached please find a report for the Town of Tarboro which lists municipal ordinances that are enforced with criminal penalties, to the best of our knowledge, pursuant to Session Law 2019-198. Please let us know if anything further is needed.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

DELOATCH & HINTON, PLLC

Taylor B. Webb

Attachment

cc: Troy Lewis, Town Manager, troylewis@tarboro-nc.com

## Town of Tarboro Ordinances Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)

A complete list of ordinances can be found at: https://library.municode.com/nc/tarboro/codes/code\_of\_ordinances?nodeId=11306.

	Chapter 1 – GENERAL PROVISIONS	
Ordinance Punishable by	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
G.S. 14-4(a) N/A		

Sec. 1-12 provides the following: (a) The penalties and remedies set forth herein shall apply to violations of the provisions of the Town Code unless and to the extent other provisions provide different penalties or remedies for specific violations. (b) Except as otherwise provided in section 19-165, a violation of any town ordinance regulating the operation of a vehicle shall constitute an infraction, punishable as provided in G.S. §§ 14-3.1 and 14-4. (c) Except as otherwise provided in this Code, a violation of any of the provisions of this Code shall constitute a Class 3 misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00). (d) Except as otherwise provided in this Code, a violation of the provisions of this Code shall also subject the offender to a civil penalty of fifty dollars (\$50.00). If a person fails to pay this penalty within ten (10) days after being cited for a violation, the town may seek to recover the penalty by filing a civil action in the nature of debt. (e) The town may seek to enforce the provisions of this Code through any appropriate equitable action. (f) Each day that a violation continues after the offender has been notified of the violation shall constitute a separate offense. (g) The town may seek to enforce the provisions of this Code by using any one (1) or a combination of the foregoing remedies.

Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION  Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 2-213	Vehicles on facilities; persons under influence of intoxicating beverages or narcotics	

Ordinance	Chapter 3 – ANIMALS AND FOWL  Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment	Other Notes
Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	under the Ordinance	
Sec. 3-2	Right of entry for inspection of animal control officer and resisting entry by such	
Sec. 3-6	Disposal of dead animals	
Sec. 3-7	Keeping of swine	

Sec. 3-12	Obstruction or interference (with impoundment of animals)	
Sec. 3-13	Running at large (on public and private property within town)	
Sec. 3-14	Confinement of dangerous animals	
Sec. 3-15	Stock prohibited on sidewalks	
Sec. 3-16	Pens and stables	
Sec. 3-37	Responsibility of owners	
Sec. 3-38	Running at large (of dogs and cats)	
Sec. 3-42	Rabies control—Vaccination	
Sec. 3-43	Rabies control—Procedure upon suspicion of rabies	
Sec. 3-44	Rabies control—Muzzling	
Sec. 3-45	Tags (related to certification of inoculation)	
Sec. 3-46	Confinement of fierce, dangerous or vicious dogs or cats	
Sec. 3-47	Vicious dogs	
Sec. 3-48	Barking dogs	
Sec. 3-49	Teasing and molesting (dogs, cats, and other animals)	
Sec. 3-50	Injuring dogs and cats; notice required	
Sec. 3-53	Trapping of cats—Tampering with traps; releasing cats	
Sec. 3-54	Removal of feces deposited by dogs required	

Sec. 3-5 provides the following: Unless otherwise punished by payment of the civil penalty for the same offense, any owner found violating any provision of this chapter shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished in accordance with the provisions of section 1-12.

	Chapter 4 – BUILDING REGULATIONS	
Ordinance	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment	Other Notes
Punishable by	under the Ordinance	
G.S. 14-4(a)		
Sec. 4-28	Building inspector duties	
Sec. 4-29	Building permit required	
Sec. 4-41	Protection of public during building	
Sec. 4-42	Permit for signs & fees	
Sec. 4-43	Demolition of structures	
Sec. 4-44	Moving buildings	
Sec. 4-62	Permit required for electrical work	
Sec. 4-67	Copy of electrical permit at site of work	
Sec. 4-70	Inspection of electrical work	
Sec. 4-71	Notice for inspection of electrical work	
Sec. 4-73	Covering electrical work prior to inspection	
Sec. 4-76	Connection to source of supply	
Sec. 4-78	Annual reinspections	
Sec. 4-97	Conformance required for installation standards	
Sec. 4-98	Permit—Required (for gas installation)	
Sec. 4-101	Gasfitter's liability for other work performed	

Sec. 4-102	Connection to gas supply	
Sec. 4-104	License required (for work on gas equipment)	
Sec. 4-122	Permit—Required (for heating and air conditioning)	
Sec. 4-141	Conformity with standards required (plumbing code)	
Sec. 4-142	Plumbing inspector	
Sec. 4-143	Permit—Required (for plumbing work)	
Sec. 4-148	Permit—Copy at site of work	
Sec. 4-150	Notice for inspection	
Sec. 4-152	Covering work prior to inspection	
Sec. 4-153	Notice of defects	
Sec. 4-185	Permit required; fee; exceptions (for insulation)	

	Chapter 4.5 – CABLE COMMUNICATIONS	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
N/A		

	Chapter 5 - CEMETERIES	
Ordinance Punishable by	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
G.S. 14-4(a)		
Sec. 5-3	Town to do grading, landscaping and make improvements	7. 
Sec. 5-4	Authority and permission prerequisite to interment or disinterment	
Sec. 5-5.1	Remains of only one person may be interred in single lot	
Sec. 5-7	Lots—Resale	
Sec. 5-8	Lots—Items prohibited	
Sec. 5-9	Graves—Depth	
Sec. 5-10	Graves—Distance from property line	
Sec. 5-11	Permit required to erect memorial	
Sec. 5-12	Foundations (for memorials)	
Sec. 5-13	Erection of mausoleums, tombs, buildings or other structures	
Sec. 5-14	One monument per family plot	
Sec. 5-15	Markers (in cemeteries)	
Sec. 5-16	Head markers (in cemeteries)	
Sec. 5-17	Repair or removal of mausoleums, monuments or tombs	
Sec. 5-18	Removal or injury to board, gravestone or monument	
Sec. 5-19	Trespassing (in cemeteries)	
Sec. 5-20	Animals restricted (in cemeteries)	
Sec. 5-21	Injuring fences or locks (in cemeteries)	
Sec. 5-22	Deposit of trash, filth, etc.	

Sec. 5-23	Disturbing the peace	
Sec. 5-24	Immoral acts	
Sec. 5-25	Entering at night	
Sec. 5-26	Using (cemetery) as shortcut	
Sec. 5-27	Vehicles—Speed	
Sec. 5-28	Vehicles—Purposes for entrance	
Sec. 5-29	Trees, plants, shrubs, etc.—Defacing, removing, injuring, etc.	
Sec. 5-30	Trees, plants, shrubs, etc.—Pruning or cutting	
Sec. 5-31	Trees, plants, shrubs, etc.—Damaging or destroying	
Sec. 5-32	Removal of unused building materials	
Sec. 5-34	Grave liners	

	Chapter 6 – EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 6.1	State of emergency restrictions	

Ordinance Punishable by	Chapter 7 – FIRE PROTECTION AND PREVENTION  Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
G.S. 14-4(a)	under the Ordinance	
Sec. 7-8	Orders to remove or remedy dangerous accumulations or obstructions	
Sec. 7-33	Violation and penalty for violation of the fire prevention code	
Sec. 7-34	Establishment of limits of districts in which storage prohibited—Flammable liquids in outside above-ground tanks	
Sec. 7-35	Establishment of limits of districts in which storage prohibited—Liquefied petroleum gases in bulk	
Sec. 7-36	Establishment of limits of districts in which storage prohibited—Explosives and blasting agents	

Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Chapter 8 – HEALTH AND SANITATION  Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 8-2	Accumulation of substances detrimental to public health	
Sec. 8-3	Liability for nuisances or violations	
Sec. 8-4	Surface privies and cesspools	

Sec. 8-5	Septic tanks	
Sec. 8-28	Presumption of violation of mosquito presence	
Sec. 8-30	Breeding places (of mosquitoes) prohibited	
Sec. 8-52	Authority of health officer	
Sec. 8-53	Business buildings to be ratproof	
Sec. 8-54	Maintenance of ratproofing	
Sec. 8-55	Storage of feed for animals and fowl	
Sec. 8-56	Storage of materials (in manner not to harborage rats)	
Sec. 8-66	Regulation of smoking in municipal buildings, vehicles, and sports facilities	

	Chapter 9 - HOUSING	
Ordinance Punishable by	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
G.S. 14-4(a)		
Sec. 9-30	Compliance (with standards of fitness for human habitation)	
Sec. 9-32	Inspections; access to owners for making repairs or alterations	
Sec. 9-33	Responsibilities of owners and occupants	
Sec. 9-34	Structural conditions	
Sec. 9-35	Basic equipment and facilities	
Sec. 9-36	Ventilation	
Sec. 9-37	Space, use and location	
Sec. 9-38	Safe and sanitary maintenance	
Sec. 9-39	Control of insects, rodents and infestations	
Sec. 9-40	Standards applicable to roominghouses; exceptions	
Sec. 9-41	Procedure for enforcement (and non-compliance by owners)	
Sec. 9-48	Violations; penalties	
Sec. 9-49	Prohibited practices enumerated; exceptions (related to discrimination)	

Sec. 9-48 provides the following: (a) It shall be unlawful for the owner of any dwelling or dwelling unit to fail, neglect or refuse to repair, alter or improve the dwelling or dwelling unit or to vacate and close and remove or demolish the dwelling or dwelling unit, upon order of the inspector duly made and served as provided in this article, within the time specified in such order, and each day that any such failure, neglect or refusal to comply with such order continues shall constitute a separate and distinct offense. It shall be unlawful for the owner of any dwelling or dwelling unit, with respect to which an order has been issued pursuant to section 9-41 of this article, to occupy or permit the occupancy of the dwelling or dwelling unit after the time prescribed in such order for its repair, alteration or improvement or its vacation and closing, and each day that such occupancy continues after such prescribed time shall constitute a separate and distinct offense. (b) The violation of any provision of this article shall constitute a misdemeanor, as provided by G.S. section 14-4 and shall be punishable as provided in section 1-12. (c) A violation of any of the provisions of this article shall also subject the offender to a

civil penalty of one hundred dollars (\$100.00). As provided above in subsection <u>9-41(c)(2)d.</u>, civil penalties shall not be levied for any period during which an agreement staying the enforcement of the minimum housing code is in effect. However, if such agreement expires and the dwelling or dwelling unit covered by the agreement has still not been brought up to the minimum standards of fitness established by this article, then the inspector may begin imposing daily civil penalties until the dwelling or dwelling unit is brought up to the minimum standards of fitness established by this article. If the offender does not pay the civil penalty within ten (10) days after being notified of the violation and the amount of the penalty (or within ten (10) days after being notified of the daily accrual of civil penalties), then the town may collect the amount owed to the town in a civil action in the nature of debt.

	Chapter 10 - NUISANCES	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 10-1	Described; prohibited (nuisances)	
Sec. 10-2	Stagnant water, trash, debris and noxious matter declared nuisance; abatement	
Sec.10-29	Abandoned vehicle unlawful; removal authorized	
Sec. 10-30	Nuisance vehicle unlawful; removal authorized	
Sec. 10-31	Junked motor vehicle regulated; removal authorized	
Sec. 10-36	Redemption of vehicle during proceedings (and further violations)	
Sec. 10-38	Conditions on removal of vehicles from private property (as required by town)	
Sec. 10-40	Unlawful removal of impounded vehicle	
Sec. 10-52	Inspection of fuel-burning equipment (and non-compliance)	
Sec. 10-53	Right of entry	
Sec. 10-54	Smoke indicators, mirrors or devices required for certain fuel-burning plants	
Sec. 10-56	Discharge of smoke, dust and fumes	
Sec. 10-57	Emission of smoke	
Sec. 10-58	Discharge of dust	
Sec. 10-61	Violating seal placed on equipment	
Sec. 10-81	Restrictions generally (related to vegetation)	
Sec. 10-82	Duty of owner or occupant of property	
Sec. 10-86	Management of grass clippings and vegetative matter	
Sec. 10-93	Failure to remove graffiti unlawful	
Sec. 10-94	Procedures for removal of graffiti	

Sec. 10-95 provides the following: (a) A violation of any provision of this article shall subject the offender to a civil penalty of one hundred dollars (\$100.00). If the offender fails to pay this penalty within ten (10) days after being cited for a violation, the town may seek to recover the penalty by filing a civil action in the nature of a debt. (b) The town may seek to enforce this

article through any appropriate equitable action. (c) Each day that a violation continues after the offender has been notified of the violation shall constitute a separate violation. (d) The town may seek to enforce this article by using any one or a combination of the foregoing remedies.

	Chapter 11 – OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 11-1	Hours of sale and consumption of beer	***
Sec. 11-2	Hours of sale and consumption of wine	
Sec. 11-4	Shows on town common	
Sec. 11-5	Carnivals restricted	
Sec. 11-5.1	Permit required (for activities within town)	
Sec. 11-6	Failure to pay admission (to games, entertainment)	
Sec. 11-7	Discharge of air rifles, BB guns or pellet guns	
Sec. 11-8	Ball games in streets	
Sec. 11-9	Begging or soliciting alms	
Sec. 11-10	Bird sanctuary; protection of bird life	
Sec. 11-11	Discharge of projectiles, firearms or fireworks	
Sec. 11-12	Destruction of rodents, squirrels, pigeons, etc.	
Sec. 11-13	Disorderly conduct	
Sec. 11-14	Disturbing public meetings	1.32
Sec. 11-15	False burglar alarm	
Sec. 11-16	Masks	
Sec. 11-17	Molotov cocktails and fire bombs	
Sec. 11-18.1	Noise—Prohibited generally	B)
Sec. 11-18.2	Noise—Prohibited specifically (with exemptions in Sec. 11-18.4)	
Sec. 11-19	Obscenity	
Sec. 11-20	Parades and processions; meetings	
Sec. 11-21	Picketing	
Sec. 11-22	Unauthorized use of police or fire whistles, horns or sirens	
Sec. 11-23	Disturbing school children or school functions	
Sec. 11-24	Spitting; deposit of cigar or cigarette stubs	
Sec. 11-25	Unlawful assembly	
Sec. 11-26	Cancellation of traffic citations	
Sec. 11-27	Obstruction of drainage by railroad company	
Sec. 11-28	Unnecessary whistle blowing of trains prohibited	
Sec. 11-29	Boarding, alighting from moving railroad cars	
Sec. 11-30	Boarding standing railroad boxcars	
Sec. 11-31	Playing, loitering around railroad yards or side tracks	
Sec. 11-32	Use of parking lots	

Sec. 11-33	Loitering for the purpose of engaging in drug-related activity	
Sec. 11-62	Consumption on public streets and municipal property prohibited (of malt beverages and unfortified wine)	
Sec. 11-63	Possession of open containers on public streets and municipal property prohibited	
Sec. 11-64	Possession during special events	

0.11	Chapter 12 – PARKS AND RECREATION	Other Notes
Ordinance	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Punishable by	under the Ordinance	
G.S. 14-4(a)		
Sec. 12-26	Operation of boats generally	
Sec. 12-27	Anchorage of boats restricted	
Sec. 12-28	Speed of boats nearing pumping station	
Sec. 12-29	Discharge of firearms near boat landing	
Sec. 12-78	Hours of operation of recreational facilities	
Sec. 12-79.9	Miscellaneous requirements applicable to events	
Sec. 12-80	Conflict of use (and obstruction/interference of use of recreation activities)	
Sec. 12-81	Compliance with requirements (and failing to abide by directives)	
Sec. 12-86	Vehicles in recreation areas	
Sec. 12-87	Advertising, etc. (in recreation areas without permission)	
Sec. 12-88	Commercial activity	
Sec. 12-89	Firearms and other weapons	
Sec. 12-90	Destruction or damage to property	
Sec. 12-91	Animals running at large; horseback riding	
Sec. 12-92	Molesting animals	
Sec. 12-94	Alcoholic beverage, intoxicating liquors and narcotic drugs	
Sec. 12-95	Games, sports, etc. (in undesignated areas)	
Sec. 12-96	Excavations (in recreation areas without permission)	
Sec. 12-97	Fires (in recreation areas)	
Sec. 12-98	Dumping (in recreation areas)	
Sec. 12-99	Camping prohibited except at Indian Lake Park and Blount- Bridgers House and Grounds	
Sec. 12-100	Alterations to recreational facilities	

	Chapter 13 - PERSONNEL	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 13-108	Acceptance of gifts and favors	

Town employee political activity	Sec. 13-109
Detrimental personal conduct defined (with disciplinary	Sec. 13-268
Detrimental personal conduct defined (with disciplinary action in Sec. 13-269)	Sec. 13-268

	Chapter 14 - POLICE	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 14-4	Hospitals to report to police upon receipt of certain patients	
Sec. 14-5	Reports of deaths resulting from accidental or violent means	
Sec. 14-6	Intimidating police officer having person under arrest	
Sec. 14-7	Interfering with police	
Sec. 14-8	Cursing or abusing officers	

	Chapter 15 – SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 15-3	Littering	
Sec. 15-4	Mud, rocks, etc., from construction sites deposited on public right-of-way	
Sec. 15-27	Precollection requirements	
Sec. 15-28	Private haulers (of garbage, trash or other wastes)	
Sec. 15-29	Containers—Residential	
Sec. 15-30	Containers—Commercial container location	
Sec. 15-31	Containers—Central business district and shopping centers	
Sec. 15-33	Containers—Damaging	
Sec. 15-34	Standards for collection	
Sec. 15-37	Disposition of heavy accumulations	
Sec. 15-38	Responsibility for disposal of accumulations	
Sec. 15-41	Nonresident use of collection services	

	Chapter 16 – STREETS AND SIDEWALKS	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 16-1	Damage to streets or sidewalks; recovery of costs of repair	
Sec. 16-3	Grade level of railroad tracks	
Sec. 16-4	Obstruction—Generally (of streets and sidewalks)	
Sec. 16-5	Obstruction—By merchants (of streets and sidewalks)	
Sec. 16-6	Protection of streets or sidewalks under construction	
Sec. 16-7	Vehicles on sidewalks	

Sec. 16-8	Spilling loads prohibited	
Sec. 16-9	Certain wheels, tires, etc., restricted	
Sec. 16-10	Deposit of glass or other sharp objects on streets	
Sec. 16-11	Awnings	
Sec. 16-12	Damage to curbs	
Sec. 16-13	Street numbers for buildings	
Sec. 16-14	Barbed wire	
Sec. 16-15	Electric fences	
Sec. 16-67	Prerequisites to construction (of driveways)	
Sec. 16-68	Number and width of drives (of driveways)	
Sec. 16-69	Area between or adjacent to driveways	
Sec. 16-71	Corner sight areas	
Sec. 16-72	Drainage	
Sec. 16-73	Intersections	
Sec. 16-74	Property line offset—Commercial	
Sec. 16-75	Property line offset—Noncommercial	
Sec. 16-76	Commercial driveway entrances and exits	
Sec. 16-77	Angle of commercial driveways	
Sec. 16-78	Servicing of vehicles	
Sec. 16-79	Slope of commercial driveways	
Sec. 16-104	Maximum height of shrubs, etc.	
Sec. 16-105	Minimum clearance of trees	

	Chapter 17 – TAXATION, REVENUE AND MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS REGULATIONS	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 17-46	General restrictions (on advertising)	
Sec. 17-47	Use of amplifying equipment (for advertising)	
Sec. 17-48	Marking of streets or sidewalks (for advertising) prohibited	
Sec. 17-49	Misrepresentation of goods	
Sec. 17-50	Misleading advertising or display of goods	
Sec. 17-51	Placing on motor vehicles	
Sec. 17-52	Posting on property of others	
Sec. 17-53	Posting on pole prohibited	
Sec. 17-54	Mutilation of advertisements	
Sec. 17-72	License required (for advertising)	
Sec. 17-73	Scattering prohibited	
Sec. 17-74	Persons acting for others	
Sec. 17-95	Placement in town common	
Sec. 17-96	Signs or banners across streets or sidewalks	
Sec. 17-97	Minimum height over sidewalk	
Sec. 17-121	Permit required (for auctions)	

Sec. 17-124	Adding stock to continue sale	
Sec. 17-125	Duration of sale	
Sec. 17-126	Closing hours	
Sec. 17-127	Bidding	
Sec. 17-267	Records—Required (of Junk Dealers and Junkyards)	
Sec. 17-268	Records—Maintenance (of Junk Dealers and Junkyards)	
Sec. 17-269	Enclosure required (of junkyards)	
Sec. 17-270	Accessory buildings (on junkyard property)	
Sec. 17-271	Burning prohibited (on junkyard property)	
Sec. 17-272	Combustible materials (on junkyard property)	
Sec. 17-311	Going on private residence without invitation (by peddlers	
	and solicitors)	
Sec. 17-312	Use of streets (by peddlers and solicitors)	
Sec. 17-313	Standing or parking restriction	
Sec. 17-331	Required (permit for peddlers and solicitors)	
Sec. 17-336	Transferability (of permits)	
Sec. 17-356	Reports and records (of pawnbrokers)	
Sec. 17-357	Arrangement of stock	
Sec. 17-358	Forfeiture of license	
Sec. 17-384	Exemptions—License must be obtained (privilege license	
	tax)	
Sec. 17-390	Internal change in business	
Sec. 17-411	Required prior to conduct of business; violation (referring to	
	license)	
Sec. 17-421	False statement on application; penalty	
Sec. 17-422	Separate locations (of businesses regarding licenses)	
Sec. 17-423	Display (of license)	
Sec. 17-478	Collection of tax	
Sec. 17-479	Report and payment of tax	
Sec. 17-480	Taxpayer to keep records	
Sec. 17-481	Tax collector to provide forms	

	Chapter 18 - TAXICABS	
Ordinance Punishable by	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
G.S. $14-4(a)$		
Sec. 18-3	Compliance with laws	
Sec. 18-4	Scope of taxicab service required	
Sec. 18-5	Record and reports—Generally	
Sec. 18-6	Record and reports—Service contracts	
Sec. 18-7	Record and reports—Accidents	
Sec. 18-8	Vehicles—Standards to be met	
Sec. 18-10	Vehicles—Periodic inspections	
Sec. 18-11	Vehicles—Sanitary maintenance	

Sec. 18-12	Vehicles—Identification	
Sec. 18-14	Rates and charges—Display	
Sec. 18-15	Rates and charges—Receipts	
Sec. 18-16	Rates and charges—Failure to pay fare, fraud by passenger	
Sec. 18-17	Solicitation of passengers—Generally	
Sec. 18-18	Solicitation of passengers—Manner	
Sec. 18-19	Solicitation of passengers—Common carrier passengers	
Sec. 18-20	Solicitation of passengers—For hotels, motels	
Sec. 18-21	Cruising	
Sec. 18-22	Receipt, discharge of passengers	
Sec. 18-23	Additional passengers	
Sec. 18-24	Restriction on number of passengers	
Sec. 18-25	Placement of passengers	
Sec. 18-26	Refusal of passengers	
Sec. 18-27	Selling intoxicants, narcotics	
Sec. 18-28	Transporting persons for immoral or unlawful purposes	
Sec. 18-29	Manifests	
Sec. 18-30	Advertising	
Sec. 18-31	Lost articles	
Sec. 18-46	Certificate of public convenience and necessity required	
Sec. 18-52	Transfer of certificate of public convenience and necessity	
Sec. 18-66	Driver's permit required (for taxicab operation)	
Sec. 18-77	Display of permit	
Sec. 18-78	Suspension, revocation (of permit)	
Sec. 18-83	Restriction (of transportation by animal-drawn vehicles)	
Sec. 18-84	Permit (for animal-drawn vehicles)	
Sec. 18-86	Transferability (of animal-drawn vehicle permits)	
Sec. 18-87	Route limitations (of animal-drawn vehicles)	
Sec. 18-88	Drivers (of animal-drawn vehicles)	
Sec. 18-89	Passenger loading (of animal-drawn vehicles)	
Sec. 18-90	Vehicle design (of animal-drawn vehicles)	
Sec. 18-91	Animal waste (related to animal-drawn vehicles)	

	Chapter 19 - TRAFFIC	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 19-3	Compliance with order or direction of police	
Sec. 19-7	Authorized emergency vehicles	
Sec. 19-10	Riding on portion of vehicle not intended for passengers	
Sec. 19-11	Number of passengers in front seat restricted	
Sec. 19-12	Passengers to remain inside vehicle	
Sec. 19-13	Entering or riding vehicle without consent of owner or driver	

Sec. 19-14	Boarding or alighting from moving vehicles	
Sec. 19-15	Clinging to moving vehicles	
Sec. 19-16	Riding bicycle on sidewalk or walkway of business district	
Sec. 19-17	Riders of motorcycles to have hands on handlebars	
Sec. 19-18	Use of skates, coasters, etc. in roadway	
Sec. 19-19	Failure to obey citation	
Sec. 19-19	Driving on right half of street—Generally	
Sec. 19-30 Sec. 19-37	Driving on right half of street—When crossing intersection	
Sec. 19-37	or railroad	
Sec. 19-38	Passing vehicle proceeding in opposite direction	
Sec. 19-39	Passing vehicle proceeding in same direction—Generally	
Sec. 19-40	Passing vehicle proceeding in same direction—When permitted on right	
Sec. 19-41	Passing vehicle proceeding in same direction—Duty of driver of overtaken vehicle	
Sec. 19-42	Right-of-way generally	
Sec. 19-43	Exceptions to the right-of-way rule	
Sec. 19-44	Method of turning at intersections	
Sec. 19-44	Starting, stopping or turning signals—Generally	
Sec. 19-45	Starting, stopping or turning signals—Generally  Starting, stopping or turning signals—Method of giving	
	with hand and arm	
Sec. 19-47	Corner-cutting	
Sec. 19-48	Following too closely	
Sec. 19-49	Procedure upon approach of police or fire department vehicle	
Sec. 19-50	Following fire apparatus or driving near scene of fire	
Sec. 19-51	Driving over fire hose or blocking fire apparatus	
Sec. 19-52	Driving on roadways laned for traffic—Generally	
Sec. 19-53	Driving on roadways laned for traffic—Obedience to markings	
Sec. 19-54	Blocking intersections or crosswalks	
Sec. 19-55	Driving in sidewalk area	
Sec. 19-56	Driving through funeral procession	
Sec. 19-57	Limitations on backing	
Sec. 19-58	Driving overloaded or overcrowded vehicle	
Sec. 19-59	Vehicles loaded with logs—Logs to be fastened	
Sec. 19-60	Vehicles loaded with logs—Parking	
Sec. 19-77	Obedience to devices	
Sec. 19-79	Moving or damaging devices	
Sec. 19-81	Traffic-control signal legend	
Sec. 19-81	Flashing signals	
Sec. 19-82	Stop intersections	
Sec. 19-83	Yield intersections	
Sec. 19-84 Sec. 19-85	Driving on one-way streets	
Sec. 19-85 Sec. 19-86	Limitations on turning around	
300. 19-80	Limitations on turning around	

Sec. 19-87	Truck routes	c c
Sec. 19-88	Driving through safety zone	
Sec. 19-89	Driving in school zones	
Sec. 19-90	Driving in quiet zones	
Sec. 19-91	Driving on play streets	
Sec. 19-111	Maximum limits generally	
Sec. 19-113	School zones	
Sec. 19-187	Right-of-way at crosswalks	
Sec. 19-188	Crossing at other than crosswalk	
Sec. 19-190	Soliciting rides	
Sec. 19-191	Blind pedestrians	
Sec. 19-192	Unlawful use of white cane	
Sec. 19-193	Duty of drivers	
Sec. 19-211	Applicability of traffic regulations	
Sec. 19-213	RegistrationRequired	
Sec. 19-215	Registration—Issuance of plates and cards	
Sec. 19-216	Registration—Mutilation of plates, cards or identifying number	
Sec. 19-217	Registration—Sale or transfer of ownership	
Sec. 19-218	Secondhand dealers to report purchase of bicycle or parts	
Sec. 19-219	Use after dark	
Sec. 19-220	Unlawful to ride on sidewalk or without hands on handlebars	
Sec. 19-221	Passengers	
Sec. 19-241	Speed limit (Railroads)	
Sec. 19-242	Obstruction of crossings generally	
Sec. 19-243	Warning devices at crossingsRequired	
Sec. 19-244	Warning devices at crossings—Stopping upon signal	
Sec. 19-245	Warning when approaching crossing	
Sec. 19-246	Lighting yards, crossings	
Sec. 19-247	Headlight, signal bells	
Sec. 19-248	Flying switch prohibited	
Sec. 19-267	Traffic signals enumerated	

	Chapter 20 - UTILITIES	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 20-4	Connections to service	
Sec. 20-5	Separate connections	11007 500
Sec. 20-6	Service to comply with technical regulations	
Sec. 20-8	Ownership of equipment, meters, etc.	
Sec. 20-9	Resale of service	
Sec. 20-11	Obtaining right-of-way for facilities	

Sec. 20-37	Inspection of wiring prior to connection	
Sec. 20-39	Unlawful use of current	
Sec. 20-40	Location of connection	
Sec. 20-41	Attachments to electric system property	
Sec. 20-42	Accessibility of meters	
Sec. 20-66	Fees	
Sec. 20-67	Made at one time	
Sec. 20-68	Construction by town	
Sec. 20-69	Outside town	
Sec. 20-71	Additional connections	
Sec. 20-80	Drought response triggers and phased water use reductions	
Sec. 20-96	Hydrants	
Sec. 20-128.1	In-ground irrigation system requirements	
Sec. 20-130	Tampering with meters, connections or appurtenances prohibited	
Sec. 20-135	Discontinuance of service—Voluntary	

	Chapter 21 – TREES AND LANDSCAPING	
Ordinance Punishable by G.S. 14-4(a)	Description of Conduct Subject to Criminal Punishment under the Ordinance	Other Notes
Sec. 21-37	Tree species to be planted	
Sec. 21-38	Required tree variety	
Sec. 21-39	Tree size measurement	
Sec. 21-40	Minimum installed tree dimensions	
Sec. 21-41	Spacing of trees	
Sec. 21-42	Distance from curb and sidewalk	
Sec. 21-43	Distance from street corners and fire hydrant	
Sec. 21-44	Utilities (as they relate to location of planting trees)	
Sec. 21-46	Tree topping	
Sec. 21-47	Pruning, corner clearance	700780788 - 140 24
Sec. 21-48	Removal of stumps	
Sec. 21-49	Interference with town tree board	

Sec. 21-50 provides the following: Any action or inaction which violates the provisions of this article may be subject to the enforcement actions outlined in the Tarboro Code of Ordinances, appendix B, article VII, Enforcement and Review.